

ORDINANCE NO. 37-21

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN
AMENDED MUTUAL AID CONTRACT WITH OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
WITHIN LORAIN COUNTY TO PROVIDE MUTUAL POLICE ASSISTANCE
IN THE INTERCHANGE AND USE OF PERSONNEL AND
EQUIPMENT TO ALL PARTICIPATING ENTITIES
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 72-00, passed on October 10, 2000, established a Mutual Aid Agreement between various political subdivisions in Lorain County; and

WHEREAS, Sections 311.29, 505.43, 737.04, 737.041, 1545.131, and 1545.132 of the Ohio Revised Code authorizes political subdivisions to enter into such agreements to provide for the interchange of mutual police assistance in the form of personnel and equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Avon Chief of Police and the City's Safety Director deem it necessary and desirable to enter into an Amended Mutual Aid Agreement with these various political subdivisions located within Lorain County; and

WHEREAS, Council finds the proposed amendment to be fair and reasonable and in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the community to adopt.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO:

Section 1 - That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into an Amended Mutual Aid Agreement with various Lorain County political subdivisions to provide mutual police aid and assistance through the interchange and use of personnel and equipment of their respective departments. A copy of said mutual aid contract is attached hereto, marked as "Exhibit A," and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2 - That is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees which resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3 - That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public, health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon, Ohio, the immediate emergency being the necessity to enter into an amended mutual aid agreement with other Lorain County political subdivisions to provide mutual police assistance in the interchange and use of personnel and equipment; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Ordinance No. 37-21 (Con't.)

PASSED: _____

DATE SIGNED: _____

BY: _____
Brian Fischer, President of Council

DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: _____

Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

John A. Gasior, Law Director

ATTEST:

Barbara Brooks
Clerk of Council

Posted: _____
In Five Places as
Provided by Council

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